

All KRA Division Chiefs

30 December 1959

Deputy Chief, Economic Research Area

Briefing of Two Key Department of
State Officials, 5 January 1960

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1. Further to my memorandum of 17 December 1959 on the same subject, I have now confirmed with Messrs. Crawford and Tuthill that 5 January 1960 at 11:30 A.M. will be satisfactory. The meeting will be held in [REDACTED] office, Room 1114 N Building, which he has kindly offered for the occasion.

2. Mr. Tuthill indicated that he would be accompanied by 2 or 3 members of his staff, including:

a. Mr. Russell Fossenden who is Tuthill's Deputy Director of the Office of Regional Affairs;

b. Mr. Robert McGill whom Tuthill described as specializing in NATO military affairs and as being particularly interested in the deployment of ICBM's on both sides of the Curtain;

c. Mr. Manuel Abrams who is particularly interested in Bloc economic relationships with Western Europe; and

d. Mrs. Ruth Kupinsky who backstops the Department's substantive interest in the Economic Commission for Europe.

There is a possibility that Mr. Crawford may bring 1 or 2 of his people as well, but this is as yet uncertain.

3. The security classification of the briefing may range through Top Secret.

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